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INFO AMEMBASSY ACCRA

AMEMBASSY LAGOS

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SUBJECT: NEW YORK TIMES SEEKS NEW WEST AFRICAN BUREAU

1. JOHN DARNTON, NYT CORRESPONDENT, CALLED AT EMBASSY
JANUARY 29 TO INVESTIGATE POSSIBILITY RELOCATING BUREAU
FROM LAGOS TO ABIDJAN. ACCRA IS ALSO BEING CONSIDERED,
AND HE PLANS VISIT NEXT WEEK.

2. DARNTON SAID NYT RELUCTANT LEAVE LAGOS,BUT KENYA
BUREAU CHIEF AND DARNTON HIMSELVE HAVE BEEN UNABLE OBTAIN
NIGERIAN VISAS DESPITE REPEATED REQUESTS IN PAST SEVERAL
MONTHS. NIGERIAN EMBASSIES HAVE OFFERED NO EXPLANATION. SMITH

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